

Japs Send Tiny Torpedo Boats Against Yankee Fleet

Guam, March 31 (AP) — American carrier planes sank or damaged 46 Japanese ships and 87 airplanes Thursday and Friday, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced today as warships continued heavily bombarding Okinawa in the center of the Ryukyu chain, which Tokyo said was threatened by imminent invasion.

By ELMONT WAITE
Guam, March 31 (AP)—American naval guns are "furiously shelling Okinawa Island in the Ryukyu chain for the ninth consecutive day, an enemy communiqué reported today, despite harrying attacks of tiny torpedo boats trying to do the work of the once mighty Japanese navy.

Imperial headquarters, noted for exaggerated claims of American naval losses, asserted 30 U. S. warships have been sunk and 20 damaged. The whole unconfirmed communiqué listed as sunk two carriers, a battleship, four cruisers, six destroyers, one transport and 16 unidentified craft.

Japanese headquarters said Allied carrier plane attacks were broken off last night after eight days of raiding southern Japan and the 700 miles long Ryukyu archipelago.

The "Suicide Corps"
Tokyo radio reported a fleet of torpedo boats made a dawn attack today against Adm. Raymond A. Spruance's Fifth Fleet which has been roaming through the Ryukyus almost unchallenged.

Such an attack, which Tokyo said was supported by the "air force special attack (suicide) corps," would be the third of its kind this week against Spruance's fleet, which includes Vice Adm. Marc A. Mitscher's carrier force.

Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz's communiqué today reported that four motor torpedo boats and 17 planes were destroyed in a similar attack on the American warships Wednesday night and Thursday.

The previous day, the admiral said a similar onslaught was repelled. He made no mention of any damage to American ships in either raid.

Last Major Philippine Isle Invaded By U. S. Forces

By FRED HAMPSON
Manila, March 31 (AP) — Maj. Gen. Rapp Brush's 40th Division of the Eighth Army landed Thursday against light opposition on Negros, last remaining major Philippine island under Japanese control, seized an airstrip and menaced the insular capital, Bacolod.

Other Yanks had to fight hard, Gen. Douglas MacArthur disclosed today, to take tiny Cebu island, which is within rifle range of famed Corregidor on Manila Bay.

With the invasion of Negros, MacArthur asserted the enemy in the Visayan island group "seems bewildered and his defense is rapidly collapsing." Negros is a part of the Visayas. Masbate and Bohol are the only remaining large islands of the group that have not been invaded by U. S. forces.

Sugar Producing Areas
Brush's doughboys crossed Guimaras Strait eastward from Guimaras island, between American-controlled Panay and Negros, and went ashore near the mouth of the Bago river. One column pushed northward along the coast to take the airstrip and approach the capital city of 50,000 while another column turned southward, capturing two places and making contact with guerrillas.

The landing parties were supported by naval gunfire and Thirteenth airforce planes.

Negros, more than 120 miles long and 50 miles at its widest part, is one of the biggest sugar producers in the Philippines.

On recently invaded Cebu island the American division overcame moderate resistance at Guadalupe and also joined up with guerrillas.

Crippled Children's Clinics Announced

Any crippled child in Adams county is eligible to attend a state clinic for crippled children at the Chambersburg hospital Wednesday, April 11, or on the following day at the Carlisle hospital. The clinics begin at 9 a. m.

Arrangements for children to attend may be made through family physicians or Miss Mildred Eden, state nurse for Adams county. She may be reached through the Red Cross office here. If transportation to the clinic is not available, arrangements will be made to get county children in need of attention to one clinic or the other.

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CHURCHES ARE READY TO MARK EASTER; PLAN Dawn SERVICES

Churches will lead Gettysburg and Adams county in observance of the fourth wartime Easter Sunday tomorrow.

Special services, highlighted in many houses of worship by observance of the sacrament of Holy Communion and in nearly all worship services by the presentation of appropriate Easter music by church choirs and soloists, will be held throughout the county.

At least five Easter dawn services will be held in as many county communities while early morning masses will take Catholics to church early as the churches mark the anniversary of the resurrection of Christ. The Easter celebration will climax series of Lenten and Holy Week religious observances intended to prepare men and women for the Easter season.

In St. James Lutheran church here at 6 o'clock Sunday morning the Adams County Christian Endeavor Union will conduct its annual Easter Dawn service with the Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman, pastor of Christ Lutheran church as the speaker. His theme will be "Since Christ Arose."

Other Dawn Services
The Rev. Harold V. March, new pastor of the Gettysburg United Brethren church, will be in charge of the service and there will be special music by the Misses Julia Yost and Mary Hollabaugh, both of Biglerville. Richard B. Shade will be the organist and the choir will be formed by members of the Community High School Christian Endeavor society of Biglerville.

In the Bethlehem Lutheran church at Bendersville, the sermon for the Easter Dawn service, at 6 o'clock will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Harvey D. Hoover, member of the faculty of the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary.

At St. Paul's Reformed church in New Oxford a sunrise service at 6 o'clock will be featured by a cantata "The Exalted Christ." The Rev. Dr. Dobbs F. Ehlman, pastor, will be in charge of the service.

The Rev. Snyder Allemen, pastor of the Abbotstown Lutheran and the Trinity Lutheran church of East Berlin, has announced an Easter Dawn service for 6:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

A community Easter Dawn service will be held in the York Springs high school building at 6 o'clock. The Rev. P. J. Horick, pastor of the Mt. Zion Lutheran church at Goodyear, has announced a dawn service Sunday at 6:30 a. m.

DESCRIBES HOW VETS CAN GET FARM LOANS

A low interest rate and a long term paying off period are the two most attractive features offered returned veterans who wish to buy farms under the Farm Loan Guaranty plan of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944. O. H. Benson, chairman of the Adams County certifying committee under the loan plan, said today.

The facts that the government will pay the interest for the first year and that a guaranty can be secured for as high as \$2,000 while the amount of the loan is unlimited also are attractive to the ex-servicemen, Mr. Benson asserted.

The Veterans Administration has no authority to make a loan to a veteran, Mr. Benson explained. The loan is made by banks and other lenders at not over four per cent interest. When made in accordance with regulations, the loan may be partially guaranteed by the administrator. Payments on the loan may extend over a period of 20 years.

Procedure to be Followed
Briefly outlining the procedure to be followed by a veteran seeking a farm loan, Mr. Benson said: "The veteran must show his discharge papers, prove his eligibility for the loan by reason of having served in (Please Turn to Page 5)

DR. EHLMAN TO SPEAK

The Rev. Dr. Dobbs F. Ehlman, Reformed pastor from New Oxford, will be the speaker at the weekly dinner meeting of the Gettysburg Lions club, Monday evening at 6 o'clock at Mrs. Smith's restaurant. Milton R. Remmel arranged the program.

Wounded

Pfc. Noah V. Brown, 19, husband of Mrs. Dorothy E. Brown, 1 North Queen street, Littlestown, was wounded in Germany March 5 and is now in a hospital in France. He was inducted in August, 1944, and went overseas last January.



LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDS UNION SERVICE FRIDAY

A large audience attended the Union Good Friday service in the Reformed church Friday afternoon while most Gettysburg business places observed a three-hour closed period on the religious holiday.

The Rev. Roy K. Miller, of Brownsville, Md., pastor-elect of the local Church of the Brethren, delivered the sermon on the topic, "The Four Points of the Cross."

Using the construction of the cross as his theme, the Rev. Mr. Miller described the four messages to be derived from that religious symbol as "the voice of forgiveness, the moment of crisis, the invitation to fellowship, and the divine resignation."

Special Typifies Religion
"Our religion," he said, "is one of the cross. Where there is no cross there is no Christ, and where there is no Christ there is no Christianity and no religion."

"For some it has been a heavy cross, for some it has been a shameful cross, but for others it has been a glorious cross. As we choose our way with the cross, so we choose either the joy or the sorrow."

"The cross is the center of Christianity," the speaker stated. "But we must be alert that we do not accept the cross materially and reject it spiritually."

Special Music
Throughout his sermon, the Rev. Mr. Miller described how the actions of Jesus were exemplary of the four points for which the cross stood.

"The center of Good Friday is the cross," the speaker said in closing. "and the center of the cross is Christ. The center of Christ is love for God. May we all have it, develop it and cherish it."

Preceding the service, the Rev. Howard S. Fox, pastor of the Reformed church, presented a half-hour organ recital. During the service, the trio composed of the Misses Miriam and Esther Musselman and Mrs. Arthur Musselman, sang "Where You There When They Crucified My Lord?" and "The Passion Chorale."

TO GIVE ASTRP TESTS APRIL 12

High school seniors and graduates 17 years of age will be given an opportunity to qualify for six to 12 months of college training under the Army Specialized Training Reserve Program by taking the army college qualifying test offered on April 12 in high schools and colleges throughout Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia, according to an announcement today by Maj. Gen. Philip Hayes, commanding general of the Third Service Command.

"The Army Specialized Training Reserve Program is a special college training program given by the army (Please Turn to Page 5)

ARRIVES IN STATES

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Baker, near East Berlin, received a telephone call during the past week from their son, Pfc. Melvin R. Baker, who was wounded in action in the European Theater of War several months ago, and who had just arrived at an army hospital in New Jersey.

Radio Service, Baker's Battery Service.

RED CROSS DRIVE GOES OVER GOAL; EXPECTED TO TOP '44 COLLECTIONS

Adams county's Red Cross War Fund drive has gone "over the top" in its \$28,000 drive—the largest in local chapter history—by at least \$1,000, it was indicated at the chapter offices this morning.

Additional contributions reported today at the office showed that the goal had been oversubscribed on the last day of the campaign. Indications were that the total figure would go over the record \$29,000 raised in 1944.

While the campaign headquarters reported a total of \$25,280 as of Friday morning, an additional \$1,300 was turned in from the McSherrytown area. A total of \$1,351 collected in the county's theaters for the fund was reported, and Dr. Burnell Grimm, of Hampton, chairman of the East Berlin district, disclosed that \$1,450 already has been recorded in that area although reports were not complete.

May Top \$30,000
With those figures, and additional smaller contributions which have yet to be reported, hope was expressed this morning by chapter officials that the total would reach \$30,000.

"The reports, as they are shaping up on the final day, should give the people of Adams county real satisfaction," Henry M. Scharf, general chairman of the campaign, said this morning. "It is a wonderful thing what they have done—providing their share of the world's greatest fund for the service of humanity."

Mr. Scharf said that he was "proud that Adams county's citizens have preserved their perfect record of meeting the needs of the national and local programs of the American Red Cross."

"I want to express appreciation," he said, "to every person who aided in any way the 1945 War Fund campaign."

At the Red Cross office late this morning, it was announced that York Springs workers' reports have added \$1,539 to an initial \$100 from that community.

Here And There News Collected At Random

Easter for many centuries has been synonymous with the hope for spiritual rebirth and resurrection. Today, in World War II, the symbol of this hope—the Cross—is on every battlefield where men fight for the rebirth of freedom from tyranny.

On Easter, 1945, hundreds of chaplains, whose collars bear the emblem of the Cross, will set up crosses on makeshift front-line altars. But the Cross today is constantly with the men who fight for God and country, as it has been throughout history.

It is in the foxholes, under battle-grimed clothing; it is fingered on tiny prayer books or men carry with them, and on Easter cards sent by those back home. It is the symbol of the Free French, and the banner of DeGaulle. In flaming red, it is a sign the sick and wounded are being cared for. And wherever Englishmen in uniform go into battle, three versions of the Holy Cross form their banner, for the Union Jack bears the Crosses of St. George, St. Andrew and St. Patrick.

From Earliest Days

It has always been that way. From the earliest days of Christianity the sign of the Cross was used as a testament of good faith and a password. Those who made this sign were resisting oppression that might be compared with Nazi and Japanese tyranny today.

As the annual War Fund campaign of the Red Cross comes to a successful close in Adams county today, the following prayer was received by a Gettysburgian from a friend in Australia:

A PRAYER FOR THE RED CROSS
The Cross of love and mercy
That gives not word, but deed;
That makes no count of time or place;
That asks no man his creed...
Lord God, stretch out Thy bounteous hand,
And fill its every need.
William Tainsh.

Littlestown Marine Wounded On Iwo Jima

Marine Private Paul C. Bolin, 19, son of Gregg Bolin, Littlestown, was wounded on Iwo Jima, according to a cablegram received by his sister, Mrs. Russel Pottorff, Littlestown, from the wounded youth. The message, dated March 10, said "All well and safe. Injury not serious. Love to all at home." There has been no word from the Navy Department.

Pvt. Bolin entered the service on September 21, 1942, enlisting in the Marine Corps. He trained at Parris Island, S. C.; New River, N. C.; and Camp Pendleton, Calif. He went overseas fourteen months ago after being stationed in California for a year. He participated in three campaigns in the Southwest Pacific before being wounded on Iwo Jima.

DANNER PETERS EXPIRES TODAY OF THROMBOSIS

Danner A. Peters, 54, Gardner's R. 1, Huntingdon township, a teacher in the schools of Adams county for over 30 years, died this morning at 12:10 o'clock at the Warner hospital from thrombosis. He was admitted to the hospital two weeks ago.

Mr. Peters was born in Heidlersburg, a son of the late William and Maria (Bowers) Peters. In addition to teaching he also farmed. He taught at the Locust Grove grammar school, Menallen township, until March 12. The deceased was a member of the Heidlersburg United Brethren church and was class leader at the time of his death.

Surviving are his widow, the former Blanche Weidner; three children, Cpl. Roy C. Belgium; Pfc. Ruth Bringle, Marine Corps Reserve, Camp Lejeune, N. C., and Earl B. at home; five brothers and sisters, Mrs. Nora Dentler, Biglerville; Mrs. Nannie Zepp, New Oxford R. 1; the Rev. J. C. Peters, Baltimore; Mrs. Ethel Slaybaugh, Biglerville, and Mrs. Preston Barnhart, Greencastle. A number of nephews and nieces also survive.

Funeral services from the late home Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with further services at the Heidlersburg United Brethren church conducted by the Rev. O. A. Kerns. Interment in the Biglerville cemetery. Friends may call at the late home Monday evening.

Local Soldier In North Alsace Drive

(Special To The Times)
Sixth Army Group, France—The steel-and-concrete Sinsheimer fort, main Maginot bastion west of Bitch, France, was the toughest German emplacement met by U. S. Seventh Army troops in Gen. Jacob L. Devers' Sixth Army Group when their drive through northern Alsace first took them onto German soil.

But even Sinsheimer, housing deadly German automatic guns, was not too tough for the big guns of the 173rd Field Artillery group. Accomplishing what bombers had not achieved, the group's 155-mm howitzers penetrated the heavy fortress walls after continued poundings at a relatively close range. Infantry troops moved ahead and occupied the fort without resistance.

Sgt. Harry D. Ridinger, 126 Baltimore street, is a member of the outfit.

LETTERS GRANTED

Letters of administration in the estate of the late Anne C. Wisotzkey were granted today at the office of the register and recorder to Katherine E. Smith, 27 York street. Miss Wisotzkey bequeathed \$200 to the pastor of St. Francis Xavier church for the saying of masses, and willed the remainder of her estate, after funeral and burial expenses, to relatives. The personal property was estimated at about \$2,000 and the real estate, consisting of a property at 51 West High street, at \$7,000.

FLASH!

Paris, March 31 (AP) — The French First army crossed the Rhine today on a 10-mile front, a French military communiqué announced.

The operation is progressing, the bulletin added. It did not disclose the location of the crossing.

Weather Forecast

Cloudy and cooler tonight; Sunday fair and rather warm.

RABBITS, EGGS FLOWERS ON MARKET TODAY

Easter bunnies and colored Easter eggs were among the attractions at the Farmer's market this morning. Only one marketman, George Boyer, had the rabbits, both white and gray, but most of the stands had colored and pickled eggs and did a brisk business.

The rabbits sold for 75 cents and \$1.25 while the colored and pickled eggs went for five cents each. There was an abundance of greens with lettuce making its first appearance, plenty of water cress and dandelion greens and some spring onions and parsley being offered.

Flowers Abundant

The lettuce was selling for 15 cents a box, the dandelion and water cress stayed at 10 cents or 15 cents for a two-quart box, while the parsley was selling for five cents a bunch. The onions were five and 10 cents a bunch.

Easter flowers, in the form of cut daffodils and hyacinths and potted geraniums and cineraria were to be had in quantity. One stand alone had more than 300 bunches of daffodils and was selling them at 10 cents a bunch. The potted plants brought \$1 and \$1.25. The hyacinths were not in as great numbers as the daffodils and disappeared quickly from the stands.

The rest of the morning's offerings were chiefly the holdovers from the winter line with storage carrots, parsnips, potatoes and apples the chief items. Eggs continued to sell for 42 cents a dozen. There was some nursery stock, including fruit trees and berry and grape plants, and some ornamental evergreens also were offered for spring planting.

MELVIN DRY TO COACH AT WILLIAMSBURG

Melvin A. Dry, physical education instructor and coach at Gettysburg high school for the last two years, has been elected head athletic coach at Williamsburg high school, Blair county.

Dry came to Gettysburg in the fall of 1943 to fill temporarily the vacancy caused by the loss of George Forney who was inducted into the navy in the summer of 1943.

During his first year as football coach the Maroons lost seven football games, the first grid season in high school history to go without a victory. Last season the team won a 12-0 decision over Waynesboro for its only victory in an eight-game schedule.

The high school basketball team under Dry during the 1943-44 campaign won 13 games while losing five and finished second to Chambersburg in the Southern Division of the South Penn league. During the past cage season the basketball team was coached by Henry T. Bream.

Last year the Gettysburg high trackmen enjoyed a successful season under Dry and capped the Southern Pennsylvania conference title.

The Maroon track team is being coached this spring by Dry and Fred Haehnlein.

Coach Dry is a graduate of Belleville high school and Lock Haven State teachers' college where he played football for four years. He also played semi-pro football for several years.

Masters Recommend Two Divorce Decrees

Two masters' reports in divorce actions were on file this morning at the office of the prothonotary and both recommended that the libelants be granted divorces.

John P. Butt, Esq., master in the action of Floranna Hoke Fowler, Gettysburg, against Foster Harrison Fowler, address unknown, made one of the recommendations, while the second was made by Eugene V. Bullett, Esq., master in the libel of David V. Trimmer, Butler township, versus Minnie R. Trimmer, New Oxford. Desertion had been charged in both suits.

COMMUNION SERVICE

Holy Communion services will be held at Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield, at the Sunday morning services at 10:30 o'clock. During the Church school hour starting at 9:15 o'clock a special Easter program will be presented. John C. McCune, II, is pastor of the church.

3,000 Allied Tanks Sweep Thru Germany

By JAMES M. LONG

Paris, March 31 (AP)—U. S. armor punched to within 175 miles of Berlin at two points today in the vanguard of an avalanche of 3,000 Allied tanks surging swiftly through Germany and closing a potential trap on up to 40,000 Nazis in the wrecked Ruhr.

Security silence largely masked the extent of the gains of five Allied Armies, but a front dispatch disclosed the 6th Armored Division of the U. S. Third Army had battered to within 10 miles of industrial Kassel, (pop. 220,000), 165 miles from the Reich capital. The fall of Kassel today was considered likely. The Sixth Armored Division had sped 45 miles since yesterday.

First and Ninth Near Junction

Thirty miles farther southeast, the U. S. 4th Armored "Breakthrough" Division drove to a point four miles south-east of Herzfelds, also spearing to within 175 miles of Berlin.

U. S. First Army tanks had dashed northward through Paderborn, and were nearing a junction with American Ninth Army tanks which ran on through Friday night by moonlight in an obstacle race over wrecked bridges and past roadblocks.

The First and Ninth rapidly were closing a gap, now apparently less than 50 miles wide, to bottle up from 30,000 to 40,000 Germans still fighting in the ruined cities and mining areas of the Ruhr, Germany's last and greatest arsenal.

British Sweep On

On the Ninth Army's flank the British Second Army, paced by three armored divisions, was sweeping deeper across the north German plain, and was 50 miles beyond the Rhine.

With such a depth beyond the Rhine, British armor might be in or near Muenster, or midway between Muenster and Hamm.

The German radio said that British Second Army troops have crossed the Dortmund-Ems canal, a 170-mile waterway which connects Dortmund and the industrial Ruhr with the river Ems, and had established a bridgehead on the east bank.

Presumably such a crossing would be in the area where the British are driving from Dulmen toward Muenster. The RAF pulled the canal last August and on Nov. 21 placed hits upon its banks which drained it for a distance of 16 miles.

Ninth's Breakthrough

The U. S. Ninth Army's breakthrough along the northern rim of the Ruhr valley progressed overnight, but frontline correspondents were not permitted to say how close it now had come to Paderborn. This breakthrough, it was disclosed, is paced by the battle-tested Second Armored Division of veterans of Africa, Sicily, and Italy.

This outfit, brought overseas by Lt.-Gen. George S. Patton, now is commanded by Brig.-Gen. Isaac White.

American First Army tanks last night swept through Paderborn, 42 miles northwest of Kassel and 185 miles west of Berlin, but Lt. Gen. Courtney Hodges slowed his racing armored columns today to consolidate his tremendous gains. AP Correspondent Don Whitehead reported. The tired, dust-grimed tankmen badly needed rest after six days of battle.

7th Passes Heidelberg

The First Army had crossed the Eder river in gains up to 21 miles, and had entered Fritzlar, 15 miles from Kassel, on the Fulda river and the capital of Hessen-Nassau province.

Today the Third Army closed up in this same sector, with the Sixth Armored sending one column within 10 miles of Kassel, and another to Cappel, 15 south of Kassel.

Along the line, men of the Fourth Armored drove 23 miles northeast from Lauterbach to a point four miles southeast of Herzfelds, and another element from the same division reached the vicinity of Herzfelds after a 14-mile push.

The U. S. Seventh Army in the south pushed well beyond captured Heidelberg, and fought a terrific battle with fanatical Germans in prepared positions across the river Main in an area around Aschaffenburg. There were reports even German women, girls and boys were fighting there.

On the northern flank, British and Canadian troops were beating back into Holland northwest of Emmerich, perhaps driving for a cut-off of the rocketbomb Dutch coast.

Allied advances spearheaded by at least 11 armored divisions were snatching thousands of prisoners. The Third Army took 10,000 more Friday, the British Second Army captured 1,500 and the U. S. First 11,200.

Allied planes tore repeatedly at German communications.

MRS. HERR, 92, EXPIRES TODAY; 114 SURVIVORS

Mrs. Mary Jane Herr, 92, widow of Ephraim F. Herr, died at her home, 263 South Washington street, this morning at 8:45 o'clock from infirmities of age.

She was born in Adams county, a daughter of the late John and Sarah (Sanders) Hoffman, and resided in Gettysburg for the last 20 years. Mrs. Herr was a member of St. James Lutheran church. Her husband died in 1925.

SURRENDER OF NAZIS MAY BE "PIECE-MEAL"

By DEWITT MACKENZIE (Associated Press War Analyst)

Since the suggestion here yesterday that V-E Day be made a day of dedication to completion of the war against brutality and aggression rather than a mere celebration of another victory along the road, I have received through James L. Mahoney of the Manchester, N. H., Leader, the following statement by Gov. Charles M. Dale of New Hampshire:

"There are two ways our people can observe the collapse of German resistance in Europe. First, visit the churches and give thanks to God for guiding our leaders and men, and second, by buying war bonds with which to purchase arms and ammunition to defeat Japan and complete the job."

The question of how V-E Day will arrive in Europe—that is, the manner in which Germany will capitulate—is quite as much a matter of speculation as is the question of when it will arrive.

May Be No Surrender The way things are going there may be no formal surrender of the Reich as an entity. The country is being so carved to pieces by the numerous Allied drives that there may be no central authority, either military or civil, to speak for the nation.

In short, as intimated by Gen. Eisenhower, surrender may be imposed on Germany piece-meal by the western Allies and the Russians as we overrun the country. That being so, the time will arrive when Eisenhower and the Soviet command will get their heads together and say: "Well, all resistance that's worth a tinker's dam has been knocked out. Let's call it V-E Day."

That's the way observers generally view the situation now. Of course the Hitlerite regime—or what's left of it—might suddenly decide to throw up the sponge. However, that would be one of the major surprises of the war, since an Allied sentence of liquidation hangs over Herr Hitler and his bloody-handed captains, and they aren't likely to put the noose about their own necks. On the contrary they have well defined schemes which gradually are becoming known.

Underground Movement The Nazi dictator and his gang already are gathering their picked forces into their Alpine fortress near Berchtesgaden. From there they plan to direct an underground movement against the Allies, and this already has been started.

Right now, while the Allies are engaged in their military clean-up, this underground campaign will be largely one of violence and obstruction to the invading forces. These secret activities will be carried on by the fanatical Nazis, many of them soldiers who have discarded their uniforms. Later this unholy drive would—if the Hitlerian scheme succeeded—take on a political complexion. Apropos of this the Washington State Department says the government has photographic copies of German documents disclosing "well-arranged postwar plans for the perpetuation of Nazi doctrines and domination."

Fantastic Plans Right now the terrorists are engaged in keeping the population in line by violence. An example was the Nazi assassination of Aachen's Allied-appointed mayor, Franz Oppenhof, who was executed as a "traitor" to provide an example for other Germans who might be inclined to cooperate with the Allies. And there have been other similar incidents.

Naturally this continued hopeless resistance by military and civilians is reducing the country to ruins, and plunging the German people into greater depths of despair. Fantastic as it may seem, this is exactly what the Nazi leaders want.

The British official military expert, Veritas, who has excellent sources of information says that when the German leaders speak of confidence in final victory, they're not thinking of military victory but are planning ten or fifteen years ahead, to the restoration of Nazism. However, this grandiose program is doomed to failure, as I see it, because the Allies are forewarned and thus are forearmed. The boots of Nazism will be burned from the earth.

SUPERFORTS HIT JAP HOMELAND

Washington, March 31 (AP)—Another pulverizing raid by Superfortresses on the Japanese homeland, an attack on Kyushu island, was announced today by the 20th Air Force.

The announcement said a large force of B-29's struck at military installations on the island, indicating approximately 150 planes participated. They flew from bases in the Marianas.

No date was given. The raid may have been Friday's second against the Japanese home islands for a small force of B-29's from the Marianas hit Nagoya yesterday. Nagoya is on Honshu island. It is Japan's third largest city and a key aircraft production center.

Details on both raids still were lacking.

The eyes, unlike other parts of the body, degenerate with use.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Prof. and Mrs. W. D. Hartshorne, Harrisburg street, are spending the Easter season at Sandy Point, Va. They were accompanied as far as Sandy Springs, Md., by their niece, Miss Ann Trice, a student at Gettysburg college, who will remain there with relatives over the Easter recess.

The Maude Miller class of St. James Lutheran Sunday school will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Richard Shade, Locust avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey F. Oyer have as guests over the Easter season at their home near Gettysburg their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. James Oyer, and daughter, Patricia, New York city.

Mrs. Dora Beall, who had been with her sister, Mrs. Richard Gott, Forest Glen, Md., for some time, arrived this week to spend some time with her niece, Mrs. Henry Roth, Barlow street.

Miss Winifred Campbell, Hagerstown, is spending the Easter holidays with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Campbell, West Lincoln avenue, after which she will assume her duties at Aughinbaugh hall, Springs avenue.

Mrs. Maurice S. Weaver, West Broadway, and daughter, Mrs. Maurice S. Weaver, Jr., are spending the Easter season with relatives in Washington, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Redding and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Lincolnway west, have returned from Charlotte, N. C., where they spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Redding's son, Pvt. Fred R. Redding, and wife and daughter. Private Redding is stationed at the Morris Army Air Field, Charlotte, a member of the chemical branch of the Air Corps.

Pvt. and Mrs. Harold B. Johnson, Columbia, S. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Diekert, 70 East Stevens street. Private Johnson is stationed at Ft. Dix, N. J.

Travel and story pictures of Alaska and a missionary letter from Dr. Elizabeth Pederson, missionary to India, will be presented at the April meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Sunday school building. The letter from India will be presented by Mrs. Walter H. Danforth while the Alaska pictures will be shown by Mrs. John K. Lott.

Devotions will be conducted by Mrs. E. Donald Scott. The hostesses will be Mrs. J. Donald Swope, Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas, Mrs. Ada Givler, Mrs. W. A. Bigham and Mrs. Effa Chapman.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Rosemary Saffer, Emmitsburg, was operated upon this morning for the removal of her tonsils at the Warner hospital.

Mrs. Robert Heckenluber, Ardenstville; Mrs. David Shildt, Littlestown; Mrs. Raymond Redding, Gettysburg R. 2; Miss Erma Krout, York street; Mrs. John Marshall, Orrtanna R. 1; Helen V. Dubel, Rocky Ridge, Md., have been admitted as patients to the hospital.

Discharges included Agnes Price, West Middle street; Beatrice Mohr, Littlestown; Mrs. Fred Breighner and infant son, Littlestown R. 1; Grace Sanders, Fairfield; Charles Overholzer, Baltimore street; Hulda Kefer, Littlestown; Grace Angell, Taneytown, and William D. Gilbert, York street.

PAYS \$10 FINE

Harry G. Black, Thurmont, paid a \$10 fine and costs before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder, following his arrest early this morning by Borough Officer Clark W. Staley on a charge of driving too fast for conditions.

TEMPERMENTAL

Hollywood, March 31 (AP)—Mrs. Ray Milland says she and the movie actor have decided on a trial separation "due to differences in temperament."



JOAN—Actress Joan Blondell donned this feathered hat and old-fashioned dress for her role in a new motion picture.

DEATHS

Mrs. Elmira Freeman

Mrs. Elmira Woolridge Freeman, 83, of Mont Alto, widow of George B. McClellan Freeman, died at 1:10 p. m. Thursday at the Waynesboro hospital. She suffered a heart attack February 8 and had been a patient at the hospital since February 10. She had improved and had intended returning to the home of her daughter today.

She was born in Adams county, the daughter of Jacob and Lydia Gonder Woolridge. She had lived at Mont Alto since she was 12 years of age. She was a member of the Mont Alto United Brethren church, the Ladies' Aid society and the Ladies' Bible class.

Her husband died in October, 1934. She is survived by one son and a daughter, Mrs. Paul Shindedecker, Mont Alto, and W. Pax Freeman, Quincy; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Susan Thompson, San Mar.

Funeral services at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Mont Alto United Brethren church in charge of the Rev. J. I. Green. Burial in Mont Alto cemetery. Friends may call from 7 until 9 o'clock this evening at the Grove funeral home, Waynesboro, and at the church from 2 p. m. until the hour of service on Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Margaret Weddle

Mrs. Sadie Margaret Weddle, 74, lifelong resident of Thurmont, and widow of Charles W. Weddle, died early Friday morning at her home in Thurmont following an illness of one week.

She was a member of the Methodist church at Thurmont. Surviving are five children: Charles Ellisworth, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Sadie E. Miller, Catocin; Mrs. Belva E. Burkholder, Garrett, Pa.; and Libert S. and John P. Weddle, of Thurmont. One step-brother, Charles Jamison, of Fayetteville, 19 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services from the late home Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by Mrs. Weddle's pastor, the Rev. Dean A. Kesler. Interment in Blue Ridge cemetery, Thurmont.

David Charles Black

David Charles Black, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Waybright Black, Jr., Biglerville R. 1, died suddenly at 6 o'clock this morning at his home.

County Coroner C. G. Crist was called in to investigate. The child was one month and ten days old, and was taken ill Friday night. He is survived, in addition to his parents, Waybright and Lucille (Fair) Black, Jr., by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fair, Fairfield R. 2; Mr. and Mrs. Waybright Black, Biglerville R. 1; great-grandfather, G. W. Heagy, Gettysburg, and a step-grandmother, Mrs. Emma Fair, Bendersville.

Funeral services Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Routsong funeral home, Bendersville, with burial in the Wenksville cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 o'clock Sunday evening.



'PRESS CLUB' IN FOXHOLES—Holes scooped in volcanic ash serve as news and photo headquarters for the men covering the desperate battle for Iwo Jima.



LOOKING OVER ENEMY PLANE—Men from the Navy LST in the background examine a Japanese float plane shot down during the U. S. attack on Palawan in the Philippines.

CHILDREN WILL GIVE PROGRAM AT ST. JAMES

Members of all departments of St. James Lutheran Sunday school will present an Easter program of recitations, exercises and music Sunday evening at seven o'clock in the Sunday school chapel.

Out of a group of children from the Nursery department who will take part, the following will give recitations: Sidney Weikert, Patty Timmins, Teddy Fair, Judy Weikert and Lynn Vial.

Members of the Beginners department who will recite will be Billy Brewster, Mary Menges, John Grosbeck, Sandra Jones, Sandra Williams, Judy Baer, Angelo Kargas, Joyce Nary, Shirley Sanders, Douglas Elliott, Crosby Hartzel, Joyce Vandervall, David Weikert, Lynn Bream, Kathryn Kall, Jill Arneson, Nadine Bigham, James Neth and Sidney Steimur.

From the Primary department the following will take part in various exercises relating to the Easter story: Molly Lighter, Dale Weimer, Anna Boyer, Mardelle Liesmann, Honor Weimer, Frederick Furney, Joe Bream, Jean Hartzel, Betty Duran, Sandra Strausbaugh, Nancy Neth, Coleen Settle, Joyce Mehling, Jane Mumper, Floranna Fox, Vicky Maust, Delores Burgner, Joe Fox, Billy Snyder, Sammy Small, Bobby Weikert, Bobby Minter, Patsy Kargas, Virginia Fox and Richard Munshour.

Recitations will also be given by Sandra Asimus, Carol Smith, Joanne Deardorff and Jay Arneson.

To Give Exercise

Members of the Junior department will join in an Easter song and Susanna Schmidt, Joan Hartzel, Nancy Lighter, Alice Coshun and Caroline Fissel will participate in an exercise while Gwen Bream, John Baschore, Jr., and Janet Jacobs will recite.

The devotions will be in charge of members from the Young People's department.

Other numbers on the program will consist of a piano solo by Mrs. John Sanderson; vocal solo by Joanne Deardorff, accompanied at the piano by her mother, Mrs. Kermit Deardorff; trombone solo by Kenton Meals, accompanied by Miss

villie R. 1; great-grandfather, G. W. Heagy, Gettysburg, and a step-grandmother, Mrs. Emma Fair, Bendersville.

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Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slaughter and daughter, Tonya, Haddon Heights, N. J., are spending the Easter season with Mrs. Slaughter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther C. Plank, Table Rock.

Mrs. Robert Lott and son, Neil, and daughter, Annie, Aspers R. D., have returned after a visit with Mrs. Lott's parents, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. S. K. Piercy, Macungie. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lott's sister, Miss Elizabeth Piercy, who is remaining for a week-end visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Slaybaugh and daughters, Phyllis and Elaine, Westwood, N. J. are spending the Easter season with relatives in the community.

Miss Virginia Lawrence Torresdale, and Miss Ann Lenore Smith, New Hope, have concluded a visit with Miss Shirley Stubbs, Quaker Valley.

S. Sgt. Donald Peters, Cherry Point, N. C., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Peters, Bendersville.

Lt. George M. Dill, USNR, and Mrs. Dill and daughter, Elizabeth, and son, Franklin, Washington, D. C. will arrive this evening to spend Easter Sunday with Mrs. Dill's parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. T. Dill, Biglerville. They will be accompanied home by Miss Nancy Dill who will be their guest for some time.

Mrs. John Deardorff, Jr., and daughter, Dorothy Jean, Reading, are spending the Easter season with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Deardorff, Biglerville.

Mrs. Allan B. Coddington, Martinsville, Va., has concluded a visit with friends in Biglerville.

Mrs. Joseph Stubbs and daughter, Shirley, and son, Joe, Quaker Valley, and Mrs. Blaine G. Walter, Biglerville, visited Laurence Stubbs at the Hershey Industrial school today.

Gladys Smith, reading by Miss Sara Jane Maust; vocal solo by Miss Mary Louise Spangler, accompanied by Miss Phyllis and John Schwartz accompanied by their mother, Mrs. F. K. Schwartz; members of the Intermediate department—Misses Violet Schwartz, Lois Pinkbner, Jacqueline Routsong and Janet Woodward—reciting "Songs of Easter Day," interspersed with songs by a vocal quartet consisting of Mrs. George March, Mrs. Carl Oyer, Mrs. R. R. Gresh and Mrs. Howard Sheffer, and an offertory by Miss Elizabeth Ann Sheffer.

The public is invited to attend.

1,600 Iwo Heroes Get Purple Hearts

Pearl Harbor, March 31 (AP)—Iwo Jima not only was the toughest fight the Marines have had in their 168 years' existence; they probably will have no tougher combat in the next 500 years, Lt. Gen. Holland M. (Howlin' Mad) Smith said in awarding Purple Hearts to Iwo wounded. Smith, commander of the Fleet Marine force in the Pacific, helped pin Purple Hearts yesterday on 1,600 Marines, all injured on little Iwo. It was the greatest mass presentation of medals in Marine history.

Twenty-one generals, admirals and commodores required almost two hours to pin the medals on the chests of leatherneck heroes at the Alea naval hospital.

Veteran-Patients Are Decorated

Phoenixville, Pa., March 31 (AP)—Twenty-seven sick and wounded patients at Valley Forge General hospital received awards and decorations at a special ceremony at the hospital, Col. W. W. Vaughan, commanding officer, announced today.

Highest award went to Lt. John W. Donnelly, 23, Philadelphia, wounded over Iwo Jima on Jan. 27, 1945. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross and a second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal.

Combat Infantryman badges included: Pvt. Charles W. Schlutz, 32, Philadelphia; T-5 Kenneth Hoser, 25, Norristown, Pa.; Pfc. Edwin H. Lenker, Mt. Carmel, Pa.; Pvt. Lester G. Hostetter, 28, Lancaster, Pa.; Pfc. Stephen Daniel, 22, Greensboro, Pa.; Pvt. Thomas Worbel, 33, Trevorton, Pa.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heckenluber, Ardenstville, announce the birth of a son at the Warner hospital Friday afternoon.

Sons were born at the hospital Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. David Shildt, Littlestown, and Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, Orrtanna R. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Redding, Gettysburg R. 2, announce the birth of a daughter at the hospital Friday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. Earl N. Rowe announced the birth of a daughter, Patricia Joanne, in the Altoona hospital on Monday. The Rev. Mr. Rowe is pastor of the York Springs, Hunterstown and New Oxford Methodist church charge.

FILE CASE RECORD

A transcript was filed this morning at the office of the clerk of the courts by Justice of the Peace Gerald L. Orndorff, New Oxford, in the case of Lyle V. Anderson, East Berlin, who was arrested by state police following an accident in Oxford township March 2. Anderson was charged by the police with failing to stop and identify himself following an accident. He was held for court under \$500 bail after the hearing before Squire Orndorff.

YOUTH CENTER HOSTESSES

The women of the Methodist church will be the hostesses at the Youth Center tonight, it was announced today by Miss Mary Ramer, committee chairman in charge of the hostess work. The same women also served Friday night.

Letter to the Editor

Somewhere in Germany.

Dear Sir: Today the good old Times caught up with me. I very likely would have received it before now, but we have been kept pretty busy lately. There is nothing to compare with news from home. No matter what you may be doing at the time, when it comes time for mail, all else is forgotten.

There is very little I can tell you concerning things over here. For security pur letters are all rigidly censored. This part of the country must have been very prosperous and beautiful at one time. Perhaps the German people will think more seriously of the consequences before they let themselves be led into another war. For the first time in two great wars, they are being made to understand the meaning of being invaded and conquered. This is all I have time for now. If in the future censorship permits, I shall be able to write more.

Sincerely, Sgt. Ed. Hinkle.

SOROPTIMIST MEETING

The Gettysburg Soroptimist club will hold a dinner meeting Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Green Parrot tea room at Emmitsburg. Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb, Mrs. Clyde Berger and Mrs. Floranna Fowler.

NAZI CLAIM

London, March 31 (AP)—The German radio asserted today that 270,000 tons of Allied shipping were sunk by Nazi naval forces during March.

There are 4,000,000 Japanese under arms, with 2,000,000 more ready for service.

Buy War Bonds TODAY For Future Needs.



NAMED—Wallace K. Harrison (above) has been named director of the office of International Affairs by President Roosevelt, succeeding Nelson Rockefeller, who recently was appointed an assistant secretary of state.

AT CAMP DAVIS

Cpl. William L. Rider, of Gettysburg, has been assigned to Camp Davis, N. C., as a clerk-typist. He entered the service in September, 1942, and has since been stationed at Nashville, Tenn., and Plattsburg, N. Y. His mother, Mrs. William A. Rider, resides at Gettysburg.

TO CONDUCT SERVICES

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold V. March, Gettysburg, will be in charge of the evangelistic services at the Mt. Carmel United Brethren church, Orrtanna R. D., starting Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. H. O. Sipe is pastor of the church.

Hitler Youth Gets Iron Cross



German caption supplied with this picture received by a Swedish picture agency says it shows Adolf Hitler congratulating 12-year-old Alfred Czech, a Hitler Youth soldier, after awarding the Iron Cross, second class, to a group of youngsters at his headquarters March 19. German caption says they fought in Pomerania and Silesia. (AP Wire-photo from Stockholm.)

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LITTLESTOWN, PA.

PITY THE POOR CONGRESSMAN; NO EXTRA CASH

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, March 31 (AP)—Congressmen, it seems, will have to struggle along at \$10,000 a year without any trimmings.

Rep. John M. Vorys (R., Ohio), told the Speaker of the House:

"A very fine national magazine has recently announced that it will award \$10,000 each to a Senator and Representative who, in the opinion of a committee of distinguished citizens headed by Owen D. Young, do most for the country this year."

"The criterion announced will be statesmanship and national service, not party loyalty or partisan political activity in behalf of some particular section, group, or bloc."

It seems that somebody wanted to give a Congressman a prize for doing a good job. But Mr. Vorys takes a bleak view of all this.

He cites chapter and verse, showing that a Congressman can't receive one penny in addition to his salary for doing his job. That's the law.

Cites Lurking Dangers

Mr. Vorys goes further, and comes up with this:

"Suppose other organizations and institutions, such as business groups and labor groups, decide to award Congressional prizes based solely on statesmanship and national service?"

"Some of these groups could afford to award extremely substantial amounts. They might persuade very distinguished citizens to serve on their prize committee."

"Does anyone believe that practice could grow and flourish without influencing members of Congress?"

"The fact that such influence might be with the best intentions is beside the point; these influences would be by private individuals, involving a cash prize for what they considered good lawmaking."

"It is easy to imagine some very ridiculous and some very vicious results."

New Oxford

New Oxford. — Mrs. James R. Weaver and family entertained her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Stock, Hershey, during the week.

Mrs. Betty Creekmore and Miss Patricia Booser, who are spending an indefinite time at the George W. Dunstan home, R. 1, visited in Hanover during the week.

Charlotte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Orndorff, has been visiting Philadelphia relatives.

Miss Nancy Acker, who was recently removed to a hospital when she was stricken with pneumonia while attending the George school, Philadelphia, is reported improved. Her mother has been at her bedside.

A large amount of stamps have been sent for redemption by foreign missionary societies, by members of the National Council of Catholic Women of St. Mary's church. These women have also prepared a number of dolls for children in various orphan's homes.

Mrs. Raymond Wisler, who has been residing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Edna Beale, has been a patient at the Hanover hospital.

A plaque bearing the names of: Cadet Nurse Zilla M. Pope, John J. Yingling who was killed in action several months ago, and Harold J. Noel, Richard D. Sheely, George E. Sheffer, Jr., and Clair R. Smith, who are serving in the armed forces, has been placed in the local high school. The plaque was erected by the 1942 alumni, in honor of class members in the service.

The Cub pack of local Boy Scout Troop No. 85 are preparing a study of "Kites and Transportation" to be used at their meeting program late in April.

The local cemetery association has chosen these officers for the coming year: President, Curtis S. Sponsheller; vice president, H. E. Lough; secretary, H. A. Little, and treasurer, H. B. Phaberty.

Easter holidays for St. Mary's Parochial school began at noon on Wednesday. Students of the local public schools were dismissed for this vacation Thursday afternoon. Both schools will reopen Tuesday morning.

White Run

White Run.—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Westfall, of Shiremanstown, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Levan, Baltimore road.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whitmyer and daughters, Nancy and Betty Jean, of Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garrity and son, James, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lamont and family.

The Ladies' Aid society of Grace Lutheran church, Two Taverns, will hold their regular meeting in the Sunday school room Monday evening.

THE ROAD TO BERLIN

(By the Associated Press)
Eastern front — 32 miles (from Zellin).
Western front — 175 miles (10 miles from Kassel).
Italian front — 544 miles (from Reno river).

The original name of the banking family of Rothschilds was Bauer.

BRITISH BALK AT MOSCOW DEMAND

London, March 31 (AP)—Moscow demanded today that the Warsaw Polish Provisional government be represented at the San Francisco World Security conference and highly authoritative London sources said Russia had been informed that Britain could not accede to such a request.

These London sources declared without equivocation that the British position was that Poland could obtain representation only by complying with the Crimean conference agreement that the Polish Provisional government be expanded to include wider representation.

Prospect of such action before the April 25 conference opening date appeared slim.

The Russian demand, broadcast by the Moscow radio, said failure of the United States and Britain to recognize the Warsaw group was no excuse for withholding an invitation, and that an "early reply" was expected to the Soviet request.

Bernard M. Baruch, special representative of President Roosevelt, and U. S. Ambassador John G. Winant conferred today with Prime Minister Churchill.

EXPECT 30-DAY EXTENSION ON COAL CONTRACT

Washington, March 31 (AP)—The War Labor Board probably will ease the tense soft coal mine situation today by directing a 30-day extension of the wage contract expiring at midnight.

With the operators and John L. Lewis's United Mine Workers deadlocked after month-long negotiations, WLB is expected to order the extension to avert a possible walk-out of miners that would endanger war industry fuel supplies.

UMW this week voted Lewis authority to call a strike but the union leader has given no indication that he intends to exercise it.

Prior Requests Failed
Extension of the present contract would give operators and miners additional time to get together on Lewis's new wage and benefit demands, with WLB acting as arbitrator. Both sides were called before the board for a hearing this morning.

Prior requests for a contract extension both from Solid Fuels Administrator Harold L. Ickes and Labor Secretary Frances Perkins were rejected by the operators. They objected to a proposal to make any ultimate wage adjustments retroactive to April 1.

There were indications, however, that the producers would accept retroactivity if it is stipulated in a WLB contract extension order.

An eleven-hour turn in events came in an endorsement of the Lewis pay requests by William Green, President of the American Federation of Labor.

Emmitsburg

Emmitsburg.—The marriage of Miss Helen Starner, 21, and Private Richard Heltbride, 23, took place Wednesday evening at 7 p. m. in the Evangelical Lutheran church here. The Rev. Philip Bower performed the double-ring ceremony. Private Heltbride is stationed at a Louisville camp, preparatory to overseas duty.

Private Richard Rosensteel, husband of Mrs. Pauline McClellan Rosensteel and son of Mrs. Margaret Rosensteel, is home in Emmitsburg on a convalescent furlough from the Army Base Hospital in Thomasville, Ga.

Private Rosensteel has been wounded three times in his 11 months overseas.

William Walters, Ph. M. I. C. was home Palm Sunday. He is stationed at Bainbridge, Md.

Mrs. Thomas Biddle, the former Frances Stinson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Stinson, visited her family last Sunday.

David Kerrigan, 18, enlisted in the Maritime Serv. and left Palm Sunday for the training center at Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.

A clothing expert from the University of Maryland directed a "Suit and Coat Clinic" in Frederick for the club women of Frederick county. Three lessons were given in the making and tailoring of spring suits and coats. Mrs. Oscar Stinson and Mrs. Harry Hull attended. Mrs. Stinson's suit is an attractive gray wool dressmaker style of men's wear and Mrs. Hull's is a smart brown and white checked sport suit.

FLYING FORTS HIT NAZI CITIES

London, March 31 (AP)—More than 1,300 Flying Fortresses and Liberators, escorted by 850 fighters, attacked railway and industrial targets today in Brunswick and Brandenburg, freight yards at Halle, and a synthetic oil plant at Zeitz.

Brandenburg, 25 miles southwest of Berlin, is now serving as the key rail junction for the bulk of military freight the Germans are no longer able to route through the capital.

A force of approximately 750 RAF Lancasters and Halifaxes made a concentrated attack on the huge Blohm-Voss submarine building yards at Hamburg, which was attacked yesterday through heavy clouds by American bombers.

The Zeitz refinery, 25 miles south of Leipzig, was one of the few major plants operating at anywhere near maximum production recently. Halle, 20 miles northwest of Leipzig, is an important rail junction linking central and southern Germany.

Last night RAF Mosquitos gave Berlin its 43rd bombing in the last 39 nights, and ranged wide over Germany, hunting down trains and motor convoys as far as the Czechoslovak and Austrian frontiers.

Of approximately 4,400 children of preschool age who died in 1942 an estimated 2,500 met their death in the home.

They keep fighting—You keep buying WAR BONDS



SCOOTER COLLECTION — Margie Reinwald, in the scooter, and Lynn Palmer round up bundles of garments for the United Nations Clothing Collection at Northrop's P-61 night fighter plant at Hawthorne, Calif.



CHERRY BLOSSOM WREATH — Spar Eileen van Dree, photographer's mate 2-C, stands wreathed in some of Washington's famous cherry blossoms. Miss van Dree, from Los Angeles, is assigned to U. S. Coast Guard headquarters.

Anthracite Miners "Ready To Strike"

New York, March 31 (AP)—Anthracite operators were ready to concede today, without a government-supervised vote, that the industry's miners would strike "any time such action is desired" by the United Mine Workers Policy committee.

In an acknowledged attempt to "shame" the National Labor Relations board out of conducting a strike poll, following UMW President John L. Lewis' notice last week that a hard coal strike was possible, the operators' wage negotiating committee suggested yesterday that any such vote be taken by the union itself.

"We make this suggestion in the hope that some way may be found so that it will not be necessary for the National Labor Relations board to spend many thousands of dollars of the taxpayers' money to determine a fore-ordained result," the committee announced.

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The Fellowship Of Prayer

Finished and Unfinished: "It is finished." John 19:30. Read John 19:25-30.

So they all said after their various fashions and so Jesus said. The pale and solemn scene upon the hills was ended. The curtains of the twilight began to fall and only three crosses were left against the skyline. "It is finished."

Yes, the pain was almost ended and, says Christian theology, "the scheme of redemption" was accomplished. But it was not finished; it had only just begun. Nothing is ever rightly finished till love and goodness have had their final way with it. Evil and ill will never finish anything. They only leave it more hopelessly entangled.

The saving ministry of sacrificial love, therefore, is never finished. Not as long as anyone anywhere is left to be saved. St. Paul knew that. It was necessary, he said, for all Christian disciples to fill out the unfinished measure of the sufferings of Christ. As long as our world is estranged from God, or any in it are lost in sins and hatred and strife, there is still "a man on the cross."

Prayer: Blessed Lord Who for our sakes did accept the cross and die thereon, grant unto us such a measure of Thy spirit that we may follow Thee in devotion and self-denial and, through our fidelities to Thee, further all that for which Thou didst suffer and die, nor through pride or wilfulness crucify Thee anew. Amen.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1

Easter Sunday: "That . . . should be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life." "Heirs to the life eternal." (Moffat) Titus 3:7. Read John 17:1-6.

This morning the church bells ring one jubilation, the anthems modulate one music, the hymns recite one triumph, the gospels proclaim one message—"Jesus Christ triumphant over death." The Eastern dawn has verified the age-old hope of life eternal and we are heirs to that hope.

What an inheritance it is and how it changes every dimension of life! It shines across the graves of our beloved dead and we no longer sorrow as those without hope. It promises healing to all our pains and says to the disappointed, "Do not be too much cast down there will be other and richer fulfillments." It promises completion to what ended too soon and mending to what has been piteously broken. It gives spaciousness to every purpose, challenges us to plan beyond our present power, and love beyond our little span of years. It forbids us to mar the enduring with folly and fault and bids us to begin to live here and now as if we were to live forever. Hope, the Scriptures say, is an anchor of the soul. This hope anchors us to the power of an endless life in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Prayer: Now let the heavens be joyful, let earth her song begin, the round world keep high triumph, and all that is therein. Let all things seen and unseen, their notes together blend, for Christ the Lord is risen, our joy that hath no end. In the Name of the Risen Christ. Amen.

Church Services

Bethlehem Lutheran, Bendersville
Easter dawn service with address by the Rev. G. W. Harrison and devotion by the Rev. H. D. Hoover at 6 a. m.; Holy Communion, confirmation and infant baptism in charge of Dr. Hoover at 9:45 a. m.; Sunday school at 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.; Easter service of music and readings at 7:45 p. m.

Christ Lutheran, Aspers
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; baptism, confirmation and Holy Communion in charge of Dr. Hoover at 11 a. m.

St. James Lutheran, Wenksville
Sunday school at 1 p. m.; Holy Communion conducted by Dr. Hoover at 2 p. m.

St. Zion Lutheran, Goodyear
The Rev. P. J. Horick, pastor. Easter dawn service at 6:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10 a. m.

Upper Meridian Lutheran, Ground Oak
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Holy Communion at 11 a. m.

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MARCH
31—Lloyd Herman, Goodyear
31—F. M. Beamer, Aspers R. 1.

APRIL
7—Clinton Sadler Estate, Arendtsville
7—Mrs. May Stern, McKnightstown
21—Edgar A. Moser, 39 South Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

Tacoma, Wash. (AP)—Official papers in a court case involving an Indian tribe spelled the tribal name six ways:
Quillehute, Quilleute, Quillehite, Killeute, Quileut and Quillayute.

The chief clerk settled for "Quilleute." No one ruled on the pronunciation.

Rubies have successfully been produced artificially from purified ammonia-alum and chrome-alum.

EASTER
Will your Easter outfit look complete without a fine pair of earrings? We have them.

BENDER'S CUT RATE
GUEST TEACHER
John Bernheisel will be teacher for the Men's Bible Class Saint James Lutheran Church
Sunday, April 1st, 9:15 a. m.

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Just Folks

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Joseph was a rich man, a good man, and a just.

A follower of Jesus, and a friendly man and kind.
And Joseph begged the body to return unto the dust.

And Pilate gave permission; to this gracious act resigned.

Joseph purchased linen as if 'twere for his own.

He bought a nearby sepulchre in which to lay his friend

And then, against the entrance bade men to place a stone

And seal it fast, forever, lest invaders should descend.

No more is told about him. Home he went, his service done;

But still he is remembered as a rich man, just and good,

Whose heart, like Him he followed, held some warmth for every one.

And all that makes men brothers deeply felt and understood.

Today's Talk

SACRIFICE

Sometimes I think that this old virtue of sacrifice has lost its way in the world—you see it so rarely.

And yet, were the facts known, I believe they would show that there are more people in the world doing deeds for others and giving of themselves, to their own material loss, than ever before.

For sacrifice doesn't show its face excepting as it shines and lights up everybody about its deed.

Woodberry, in his little book called "The Faith of an American," brings out the beautiful character of Wendell Phillips. In speaking of his home, he says: "A rich man's home, as wealth was then accounted in that community—foregoing enjoyments, refinements, luxuries, natural to the master's birth and tastes, in order that the unfortunate might be less miserable—is the monument by which in my mind I remember him: a life of daily sacrifice."

If sacrifice is advertised, it loses its fragrance. Many are the beautiful flowers of manhood and womanhood which are born "to blush unseen" as well as to wilt unsung though their very presence in the world has made it far more beautiful.

It is natural for a mother to sacrifice, and under any protest you could draw nothing but a smile from her.

There is nothing that brings so much happiness to him who gives it as giving to make another happy through personal sacrifice to himself. That is his compensation.

The human heart is the richest mine in the world! It contains more than pure gold, more than the most precious pearls or the most mystifying of stones from the silent breast of the earth.

You never know the greatness of life until you have sacrificed much for the pleasure and happiness of others.

York Springs

York Springs—Mrs. Guillermo Barriga had as a recent guest Miss Nancy Davis, Pittsburgh.

Jean, daughter of John Prosser, is recuperating after an appendectomy recently performed at the Hanover hospital.

Hillary Kennedy, who has been very ill, is reported somewhat improved.

The local Methodist Youth Fellowship and Luther League are in charge of preparations for the annual sunrise service to take place Easter Sunday morning at 6 o'clock at the local high school campus.

Mrs. J. Francis Yake, Jr., McSherrytown, formerly Miss Vivian A. Strayer, this section, has been ill with an attack of scarlet fever.

INDUSTRIAL INDEX

State College, Pa., March 31 (AP)—Statewide industrial activity for February, measured by coal output, industrial power sales, and employee hours in manufacturing, dropped four per cent under that of a year ago, Pennsylvania State college's monthly business survey indicates.

The Almanac

March 31—Sun rises 6:47; sets 7:22.
Moon rises 10:14; sets 11:22.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times

TEN YEARS AGO

Local Mission Closes Sunday: One of the most largely attended missions ever conducted in St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church officially closed Sunday evening with a capacity audience overflowing into the vestibule and occupying extra chairs placed in the main aisles.

Fathers Maguire and Nangle, Vincentian fathers at Germantown, were in charge.

Has Pneumonia: Howard "Dutch" Sheffer, Hanover street, who was admitted to the Warner hospital Saturday morning, suffering from pneumonia, is reported seriously ill.

Couple Married at Clerk's Home: Miss Edna M. Grover, 26, of Germany township, and Bradley S. Shanefelter, 47, of Union township, were married by Clerk of the Courts C. F. Palmer, Saturday evening at 11 o'clock at the latter's home in Germany township.

Local Man Marries: Dale H. Crone of Stevens street, and Miss Rose V. Cook, of Hagerstown, Md., were married on Saturday by the Rev. Luther B. Hafer, at his residence on Lincoln avenue. The couple will reside with the groom's mother here.

Evelyn Topper Is Crowned Adams County's Champion Speller at Contest: Evelyn Topper of Latimore township, a pupil in the State Road school, C. B. Gardner, teacher, was crowned Adams county's champion speller in the annual county-wide spelling contest finals at the Meade school building, Saturday afternoon.

The winner of the second prize was Earl Hollebaugh of the same school. Nadine Straley, Conewago township and Evelyn Feller, of Cumberland township, were tie for third place. George Lippy of Union township, was the fifth prize winner.

"What-Not Store Opens Here Friday: "The What-Not," Gettysburg's new gift shop, formally opened Friday morning.

The new shop is located on Chambersburg street, between the Blue Parrot tea room and Britcher and Bender's drug store. Miss Mabel Grenoble is manager of the new store.

"The What-Not," formerly the Gift Box, was recently purchased by the Blocher jewelry store from James Pierce.

Couple Observes Silver Anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Buehman, Baltimore street on Thursday, observed their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. No special observance for the occasion was planned.

Wins Band Prize: Miss Mary Wiernman Heintzelman, 206 York street, submitted the prize-winning name for the Gettysburg senior band. The band officers conducted a contest for a new name. Miss Heintzelman suggested "The Blue and Gray band."

Local Eagles Initiate 88: Eighty-eight candidates were initiated into Gettysburg aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles at the lodge home, Tuesday evening. The degree team of York lodge exemplified the work for the class.

Approximately 500 Eagles attended Tuesday evening's ceremonies. A buffet luncheon was served after the meeting.

Sells Garage: Harry E. Hartzell, proprietor of the Fairfield garage for the last twelve years, has sold the business to Charles Leroy Sheads of Gettysburg. Mr. Sheads took possession on Monday.

Senator John S. Rice Asks State Commission for \$15,000 for 75th Anniversary of Battle: State Senator John S. Rice, of Gettysburg, on Tuesday introduced an act in the state legislature calling for the creation of a commission of nine citizens of Pennsylvania and the appropriation of \$15,000 for necessary expenses looking to the observance of the 75th anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg in 1938.

205 Fans Pay Tribute to Cage Fives: Two hundred and five sport fans attended the community testimonial banquet tendered the Gettysburg college, high school and academy championship basketball teams at Hotel Gettysburg Monday evening. The Rev. Dr. William W. "Bill" Wood, former Gettysburg college football coach, was the principal speaker. Other speakers were Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, Prof. Lloyd C. Keefeauver and Doctor Charles H. Huber.

Dr. Walter S. Mountain presided as toastmaster.

Personal: Miss Elizabeth Wood, West Broadway, is visiting for two weeks in Florida.

Miss Amelia Butt has returned to New York, after a visit with her brother, John P. Butt, Esq.

Mrs. Ella V. Zenger has returned to her home in Louisville, Ky., after spending the winter in Gettysburg. Miss Relda Green, Miss Martha Larson, Miss Margaret Peters, Miss Grace Sachs, Miss Mary Jane Snyder, Miss Margaret Stauffer, and Miss Jessica G. Weaver went to Hershey Monday evening to see Eva La Gallienne, who appeared in "L.A. Ion."



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Emerson must have been thinking of nervous drivers when he said: "He has not learned the lesson of life who does not every day surmount a fear."

Try This Some Day

For the benefit of those who still may be caught with the problem of starting on a stray cold day I'd like to pass along the idea of putting the car in high gear (with ignition off) and rocking it back and forth a few times before using the starter in the usual way. The effect of this is to break the "cold" seal. When an engine has been idle for several days its lube has a tendency to make the piston rings stick to the cylinder walls. By moving the pistons just a little you break this seal and save the battery and starter the job.

Sometimes I suspect that it would be better if some motorists knew a little less about cars so that they wouldn't make those half-way errors which are so fatal to satisfactory car service. It reminds me of a chap who never knew until this past winter that if you pump on the accelerator pedal once or twice before cranking the engine will start easier because being fed richer mixture. Somehow he got the impression that if he held his foot all the way down on the accelerator pedal he could do a still better job. Actually this defeated his purpose. When the throttle is open a cold start is much harder because too much air is being drawn in with the gas. Save the wide open throttle trick for getting a re-start with a hot engine. That is when you need more air and less gas.

While it is always difficult to place the blame for an automobile mishap on some actual failure of the car itself, surveys indicate that up to 11 per cent of the highway casualties are being directly due to brake failure. To guard against anything in this line better check the brakes today to see that there is sufficient fluid in the little supply tank of the master cylinder (generally found under the floor board of the driver's compartment). Check over hoses to make sure that it isn't cracked or damaged by oil or grease. See that you get a safe stop before the pedal is two inches from the toe board. And this is important—always give the brakes a test stop when you start out on your morning run. This will avert a surprise failure later, and a little vigorous use of the brakes will condition them for more equalized action.

"The idea that you can leave off some part of the car without anything being the worse for it is largely a myth. Everything plays an important role in the sum total of car performance. Take off the air cleaner and, in addition to a lot of sucking noise, you'll find the engine lacks power. One owner took off the valve cover plates and was surprised when the engine failed to start easily or run as well as it should while warming up. He came to find that the valve guides were worn and that without the cover plates

tightly in place extra air was drawn into the cylinders past the worn valve guides."

Thought to Wheels

If you have had your car in storage by all means take off the hub caps and check the wheel nuts to make sure they are all tight. A friend of mine suffered the experience of having a front wheel come off while driving down the Hudson Parkway in New York recently, after a long period of storage. Apparently someone had "borrowed" the wheel and its tire during the storage period and had not bothered to replace it securely. When the tire and most of the wheel rolled off, the car dropped to the hub which rolled along and prevented an upset. The shock of the drop was terrific, of course. I don't know how she managed to hold the car to a straight course.

Since mentioning the fact that there will always be fuel in the filter bowl of the fuel pump, even if the pump fails or the car runs out of gas, I have received many letters asking why this is so. The explanation is that since the filter bowl serves to trap out water and sediment whatever goes into it does not go out of it. It is true that if the bowl becomes overfilled with water its filtering service ends temporarily and the excess water in the gas then goes through to the engine. This, however, seldom happens.

Probably we'll never know just how many worthwhile developments were scrapped along the motor way just because motorists refused to add their little mite toward success. Free wheeling was a conspicuous example. Drivers failed to save it for legitimate use, and went sailing downhill to the tune of worn brakes and a few broken necks. In skating you free wheel a high percentage of the time. Your bicycle free wheels. You can free wheel with a cream separator or any number of mechanical contrivances. Yet the motorist just free wheeled himself right out of the picture with the result that today he is paying the penalty in lowered gas mileage. It makes us stop and wonder how many new things the car designers have up their sleeves which will have to be skipped over in postwar production just because motorists can't be counted on to cooperate.

If you suspect that air is leaking into the cooling system just run a tube from the end of the radiator overflow pipe to a jar containing water. Run the engine and note if air bubbles appear in the jar. If the system has a pressure cap either block open the outlet or replace temporarily with a regular cap.

Air entering the cooling system will increase rusting and, in addition, will encourage foaming and loss of coolant.

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trouble with the engine and can't dope out why it occasionally shows a tendency to lose interest in its job, only to pick up and run all right again when you give it the gas, you might consider the idea of putting additional gaskets between the carburetor and intake manifold. Lengthening the run between carburetor and engine has cured a lot of cases of fussy carburetion.

With so many engine heat indicators out of commission it is important to know some signs of overheating in order to be on your guard. One of these is marked tendency toward ping. Another is a drop in the oil pressure due, in turn, to the oil thinning out. A handy third is a tendency for the engine to refuse to take gas. This hints of vapor lock which always is accompanied by too high engine operating temperature.

Q. I have been having a lot of trouble with the water freezing in the gas. Do you think it would help to insulate the tail pipe? I think it makes the tank sweat. H. R. Jr.

A. Keeping the tank filled is the best way to check water in the gas. Normally the tail pipe should not cause sweating of the tank, but this might be the case if the engine habitually overheated.

Q. Since installing seal beam headlights, using converters for the job, there seems to be a heavier load on the battery. Have I wired the job incorrectly? J. H. W.

A. No. There probably are more losses through connections, due to use of the converters. It would help materially to use light relays or boosters which provide more direct current for the lights. You can also boost generator output to take care of the extra load.

Q. After grinding the valves on my car the engine uses a lot of oil. In fact, oil seems to come out of the breather pipe in the form of a mist. Can you explain this? G. W.

A. When carbon is scraped off the pistons the oil seal is broken and oil consumption will temporarily increase. However, in this particular case it looks as though you were careless with the valve grinding compound and that some of this was allowed to fall down into the cylinders. This would wear them excessively and result in blow-by into the crankcase.

Q. The engine of my car fails to pick-up properly, although I have checked the acceleration pump and the fuel pump. What next? A. L. I.

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FOR SALE: TWO MEN'S BI-cycles: five gallons Penn-Zoil, \$4.98 in metal cans. Gettysburg Motor Sales.

FOR SALE: BOOKS, MIRROR, pictures, chairs, dishes. Mrs. Wible, 231 Baltimore street.

FOR SALE: GOOD GUERNSEY cow with calf by her side. T.B. and Blood tested to go anywhere. John E. Brown, Fairfield, Phone 3-R-11.

FOR SALE: THREE 6-YEAR-OLD roan horses. Call after 4:30 p.m. Herbert W. Miller, Biglerville R. 1.

FOR SALE: SPANISH-HAWAIIAN guitar. Like new. Instructions included. Phone York Springs 85-R-11.

FOR SALE: IRISH COBBLER AND Katahdin potatoes; also hay and corn fodder. Bruce Beltman, Gardners. Phone York Springs 85-R-4.

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FOR SALE: TWO HUNDRED Barrels Vinegar stock in whiskey barrels, by case for a 42-gallon barrel. Also home-made apple butter, by case. Call or write Glenn Musselman, Ortonna R. D. Phone 951-R-13 Gettysburg exchange.

FOR SALE: RECLEANED OATS, suitable for seed. Biglerville Warehouse. Phone 4-R-2.

FOR SALE: 200 GALLON SPRAY-er. Phone Fairfield 12-R-3.

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WANTED: RIDERS TO YORK for work hours 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Phone 447.

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WANTED: USED CARS. ANY make, any model, will pay highest cash dollar. Get my price before you sell. 20 used cars for sale. Glenn L. Bream, 100 Buford avenue.

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WANTED TO RENT: HOUSE OR two bedroom apartment furnished or partly furnished. Will do landscape or other work after 5:00 p.m. or before 8:00 a.m. if necessary. Write or phone Dale J. Buxton, U. S. Forest Service, 330-W between 8:00 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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FOR SALE: 83 ACRE FARM, HAR-risburg road, 11 room house, bank barn, electric, \$7,000. Ausherman Brothers.

FOR SALE: SEVENTY-ACRE farm, one-half mile from Bendersville. Ideal for fruit or poultry. Lloyd W. Garretson, Biglerville R. 1. Phone 52-R-21.

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FOR SALE: 124 ACRE FARM, TY-rone township, good buildings, priced for quick sale. Possession April 1st. John C. Myers, New Oxford, Phone 79-R-2.

FOR SALE: FARM, 44 1/2 ACRES, 25 acres clear, remainder in timber. W. E. Kump, Ortonna, R. 2.

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WOMEN OF THE MOOSE WILL now pinochle and 500 card party Monday night at the Moose Home, York street, 8:30 p.m.

VICTORY GARDEN: LAND WILL be plowed and ready in several days. Reserve your gardens. East Lincoln avenue. Call J. E. Codori, or C. B. Stover.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR In re: Estate of Edna C. Stallsmith, deceased.

Letters Testamentary on the last Will and Testament of Edna C. Stallsmith, deceased, late of Gettysburg Borough, Adams County, Pennsylvania, having duly issued to the undersigned, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same to present them properly authenticated without delay for settlement. NYLIE E. MACKLEY, Executrix, 14 East Stevens Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

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NOTICE Estate of Mary Jane Robert, late of Franklin Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent, are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG, Administrator of the Estate of Mary Jane Robert, deceased. Whose address is: Gettysburg Pennsylvania. Or its attorneys, Keith, Bigham & Markley, First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

DESCRIBES HOW

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the armed forces for at least 90 days. The county farm agent should be consulted about desirable farm locations, soil conditions and farm values.

"Look up a bank or other lending agency and find out if they will make a loan to you at the required rate of interest—four per cent—take a mortgage on the farm with the Veterans Administration guaranteeing up to \$2,000 of the loan.

"If the lender agrees to let you have the money, put \$20 to pay for the federal appraisers, make out an application for a guaranteed loan and leave it with the lender who will forward the application to the county certifying committee, which includes a veteran member.

Asks Patience "After the appraisal a copy of that report must be given the lender who forwards it with a copy of the agreement of sale to the county certifying committee which will then pass on the veteran's eligibility and the condition of the farm.

"After a certification by the county committee, that group's report and recommendation is sent to the Veterans Administration which makes the final decision on the loan and will give notice whether the loan can be completed with a guaranty. The seller must furnish the deed and the federal stamps while the lender must check the title to the property involved.

"Because this is a new program, it may take some time to have procedures smoothly developed and both veteran and seller will have to be patient until the necessary legal procedures involved are completed," Mr. Benson concluded.

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Second Marriage

By EVELYN MURRAY CAMPBELL

YESTERDAY: As Cynthia turns away from the phone she sees Edris standing here. "Are you going to him?" she asks her mother. "I wasn't," Cynthia snaps back, "but I will now." "If you do, I'll kill myself," Edris cries. "You won't," Cynthia retorts impatiently, and Edris promises not to. When Cynthia gets to the door for her. She is working at the plant, too. Carey had gotten her the job. Cynthia is shocked at this sudden meeting as Vera comes over and sits on the arm of her chair.

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Vera leaned toward Cynthia. "Oh, mother, won't you say something kind to me? I know I've disappointed you—hurt you, too, but can't you see that maybe I'm right? For myself, I mean? For my own life. Am I to blame because I didn't want the life you offered me—the one you made? None of us could help the way things have happened. It's just development—growing into something different from anything that's been, and so it hurts while we grow; it hurts in every bone and muscle. Please try to see, mother, I'm trying to make something sure for myself, a little piece of ground to stand on so when Chester comes back—if he does come—"

A car stopped and Carey came long-legged along the little walk. "You came!" he cried, triumphant. "You did come after all!"

"Let's go away from here," she said wearily. "You've got a place of some sort, haven't you? Let's go quickly. I'm so tired."

She woke to a gray world of rain and he was gone. The place beside her in the cheap narrow bed was empty. How had he managed to leave so silently while she slept on? Why had he gone without waking her to say goodbye?

It was damp and cold in the small room and the rain on the flat roof seemed bent on finding a way in. There was a round dark spot on the ceiling over the bed, spreading as moisture seeps through blotting paper.

But she had to face these little rooms where Carey lived, there was no escape from that. This belonged to her in a way, as if she had been definitely stamped with its ugliness. Carey's life! The life he had chosen. What did she know about him? He had been her guest, her lover. She had not known him in an environment like this.

She began to move about with the sitting cat-walk of a prowler. The stilted room was even worse than the bedroom. An unfriendly chair covered with sleazy cretonne, a narrow studio couch under a nubby spread and a bare table with odds and ends of loose papers, some of them half finished sketches scattered over it. Just pointless lines that meant nothing. Carey would always hold something back.

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rain to find his own. She measured coffee and put some water in the machine with her cold hands, spilling it, and while it was making, dressed herself without thinking of the morning bath that was as usual as brushing her teeth.

She drank black coffee by the window looking out at sodden little houses and at her car parked by the curb, sodden, too. But there was no answer there and she turned back to the rooms, hunting for a note, a scrap of paper with writing on it that would say for him what he hadn't said for himself.

After last night when they had recaptured the heaven they had lost! But he had left no sign that he thought of her except the empty cup.

There was a shape at the window. A woman in a cellophane rain coat rapped on the pane and a sharp curious face peered in.

"I live on the other side," she said. "Mr. Winslow rents from us. He left word he'd get back at the noon hour if he could."

"Thank you," Cynthia closed the window and after a moment the glister of blue cellophane was gone. "I can't," Cynthia whispered, pressing her palms against her cold face. "I can't wait—here, not even for you, Carey."

She couldn't get out of the place quickly enough. It threatened her like a specter overwhelming and spoiling all that she had ever called her own. It was what she had hated and fought against and conquered. Tawdriness, meanness, pitted against the grace of living.

It was better out of doors. Far better in the snug, soft familiarity of her coupe. The wiper clicked cheerfully and the tires slicked against the new white paving of new streets.

Carey didn't telephone. She pictured over and over what he had thought and done when he came back through the gray dreary rain and found her gone. But he couldn't have expected her to stay—he couldn't! There was her own life, her business, her world. Hectic Monday with the tag ends of last week determined to forget but there it was, thin against the surface. Miss Lee dragged it in.

"Those nasty little grinning Japs," the secretary said uneasily. "They're just waiting for the chance to do something terrible."

"Nonsense," Cynthia said. "There's too much fuss about Japan. They won't bother us. We've got a navy, haven't we? They're too afraid of us to do anything 'terrible' where would they be if they tried?"

"I don't know," Miss Lee worried. "Let's get on with the letters," Cynthia said briefly.

Then Maud began at dinner. "Don't you think I'd better take the children to Evanston to Joe's?" she twittered, rattling grey crepe like a disturbed sparrow. "They've got a big house. And if anything happened—"

"Happened?" Cynthia was vague, her thoughts elsewhere. "The Japs," Maud glanced over

her shoulder. "Suppose they came over here? Hamuri has been acting so queer. He left the gardening tools in the rain and was almost insolent when I spoke to him."

"Hamuri's got a gun," Peter contributed. "He kept it under the garden house and I asked him about it and next time I looked it was gone."

Maud quavered. "See? I do think we'd better go to Joe's."

To be continued



GOLF BALL RETRIEVER—Jack Sawyer (left) shows Albert Jones, golf pro, his gadget for recovering balls from the bottom of a lake on an Atlanta course. Sawyer said he made \$300 in three weeks netting 2,000 balls.

Leaves From Diary Of War Correspondent

By HAL BOYLE

In Germany. (AP)—American vehicles rolling through the heart of Germany carry an unusual number of dogs picked up on the way. Almost every other truck carries a German shepherd puppy or a mongrel, happy over a chance to sample American chow.

Blonde Iris Carpenter, woman war correspondent for the Boston Globe, asked why the Yanks were ferrying so many canine passengers, and a soldier gave her this reply: "Well, we can't fraternize with the German people. But they can't fine you \$65 for fraternizing with dogs."

Even in the center of enemy country, American boys have to be friendly with somebody or something. They haven't it in them to be permanently

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1:00-Music
1:30-Baxters
1:45-Telescope
2:00-Music
2:30-Sports
3:00-Orchestra
4:00-Doctors
4:30-Easter
4:45-Music
5:00-Grand Hotel
5:30-News
5:45-Tin Pan
6:00-News
6:45-Religion
7:00-Foreign Policy
7:30-The Saint
8:00-Cavities
8:30-Truth
9:00-Dance
9:30-Top This
10:00-Judy Canova
10:30-Old Opry
11:00-News
11:15-Talk
11:30-Set. Bluestone

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12:00-Vocalist
12:15-R. Harris
12:30-Home, Garden
1:00-Jazz Concert
1:30-Soldiers
2:00-Opera
2:30-Unannounced
3:00-Music
3:30-News
4:00-Sports
4:30-Quiz
4:45-Labor
5:00-News
5:30-World Today
6:00-L. Barrymore
6:30-In the Air
6:45-Danny Kaye
7:00-F.B.I.
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8:00-Dr. Dragomir
8:15-A. Pearce
8:45-Talks
9:00-News
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1:00-Grand Central
1:30-Report
2:00-Men, Books
2:15-Science
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3:00-Bright Land
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2:45-S. Maxted
3:00-Halloran
3:30-A. Jones
4:00-News
4:15-Johnson
4:30-Music
5:00-Uncle Don
5:15-In Action
5:30-Dance Orch.
5:45-S. Elder
6:00-Newsweek
6:15-Sports
6:30-Guess Who?
6:45-Confidentially
7:00-Answer Man
7:30-News
8:00-News
8:15-Dr. Sachar
8:30-Symphony
9:00-Traveler
9:30-Theater
10:00-News
10:15-Orchestra

SUNDAY
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9:00-News
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10:30-Child Hour
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On The Silver Screen

MAJESTIC THEATRE
Monday and Tuesday
"A TREE GROWS IN BROOKLYN"

Dorothy McGuire Joan Blondell
James Dunn

Wednesday
"BLONDE FEVER"

Philip Dorn Mary Astor

Thursday
"THE FIGHTING LADY"

Photographed by U. S. Navy
Narrated by Lt. Robert Taylor

Friday and Saturday
"MUSIC FOR MILLIONS"

Margaret O'Brien Jose Iturbi

STRAND THEATRE
Saturday
"SAGEBRUSH HEROES"

Charles Starrett "Dub" Taylor

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
Marking thirty years of leadership in the motion picture industry, 20th Century-Fox launches its 30th anniversary celebration with the release of the awaited film version of Betty Smith's "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn," which is scheduled to open Monday at the Majestic theatre.

The story revolves around 13-year-old "Frankie Nolan." No role in the picture is more important. When Peggy Ann Garner was handed the part, she won the biggest child's role ever written for the screen. Her deep, sensitive portrayal stamps her as Hollywood's very top juvenile star.

It features Dorothy McGuire as "Katie," James Dunn as "Johnny Nolan," Joan Blondell as "Aunt Sissy," Peggy Ann Garner as "Frankie," Ted Donaldson as "Neeley," and Lloyd Nolan as "Officer McShane."

WEDNESDAY
A new Philip Dorn emerges in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Blonde Fever," the new satirical comedy Wednesday at the Majestic theatre, a comic Philip Dorn. Hollywood had him all wrong; believed he was irrevocably typed in the "strong, silent man" roles in which he had clicked.

Richard Whorf, directing his first picture, gave Dorn the opportunity to show this new facet of his acting talents; new, that is, to American audiences. Dorn had played many chuckle-provoking roles on European stages.

THURSDAY
Lieutenant Robert Taylor USNR, returns to the screen again but this time only his voice will be heard.

He was assigned by the United States Navy to do the commentary for "The Fighting Lady" which was produced for 20th Century-Fox by Louis de Rochemont, one of the founders of the March of Time.

"The Fighting Lady" shows life aboard a famous, unnamed aircraft carrier of Uncle Sam's sea forces in which the pilots and crew play themselves during their daring and victorious assaults Marcus, Kwajalein, Truk, Guam, Saipan and Tinian and a major Jap fleet task force in the battle of the Philippine sea.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
Margaret O'Brien scores another triumph in her latest film, "Music For Millions."

Margaret O'Brien, seven-year-old wonder actress of the screen, alone is a box-office bonanza. Add brilliant symphonic music conducted by Jose Iturbi, sure-fire laughs provoked by such tried comics as Jimmy Durante, Marie Wilson and Hugh Herbert, drama from June Allyson and Marsha Hunt in a tender story of faith and poignant love—and there is the jackpot formula of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Music For Millions," which opens Friday at the Majestic theatre.

Wistful-faced, pigtailed Margaret whose extraordinary talents have endeared her to moviegoers everywhere, has the most important role of her meteoric career as a little girl of large faith who motivates the entire action of the story.

IT COSTS MONEY
to save your boy's life

How much is it worth to you—to have blood plasma there? To get extra food to him, if he's a prisoner? Give more! He needs your Red Cross at his side.

GIVE NOW! GIVE MORE!

Presidents of the United States have used armed forces abroad at least 76 times without congressional sanction.

WAR BOND DOLLARS ARE DOUBLE DUTY DOLLARS

25 RIDERS HURT
Philadelphia, March 31 (AP)—Twenty-five persons were injured in a trolley collision last night. Seven fire companies were called when one of the trolleys burst into flames.

Approximately one-half of the households in the United States had home gardens in 1944.

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RUFUS W. REAVER

DUROCHER AND BRANCH RICKEY IN MILD TUFF

By JOE REICHLER
New York, March 31 (AP)—Lippy Leo Durocher, fiery manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was unscathed today after his first rift of the 1945 season with President Branch Rickey, but his budding radio career took a definite second place to his baseball duties.

Rickey had asserted "there must be an election of professions" after learning Durocher left the Dodgers' Bear Mountain camp for New York to rehearse a script for a radio appearance and was unavailable for an important consultation.

But the pair emerged from a two-minute conference yesterday in perfect agreement, with Durocher perking "just a tempest in a teapot."

The Brooklyn boss, however, did insist that the job of managing the Dodgers must be the paramount interest of Durocher.

The Dodgers received three pieces of news with mixed emotions. The tidings that brought joy to both Rickey and Durocher was that Dixie Walker, the club's most determined holdout, has agreed to terms. His salary was estimated at about \$18,500.

Schultz Out
The bad news was that first baseman Howard Schultz would probably not report at all this season. The other was the arrival of Catcher Mickey Owens with the information that he would be called into service April 28. He had not been expected to be called until July.

Briefs from other training camps: St. Louis Cardinals—Owner Sam Breadon announced Ted Wilks, 1944 leading National league pitcher in won and lost percentage, had signed. Wilks won 17 and lost 4 as rookie last year. Marty Marion still unsigned.

St. Louis Browns—Driven indoors by rain, team staged long workout in batting cage. Pitcher Jack Kramer appeared in good shape in his initial drill.

Cleveland Indians—Play double-header today against Chattanooga Field and Illinois U. varsity. Manager Lou Boudreau announced his regular season starting pitchers as Jim Bagby, Steve Gromek, Alie Reynolds, Red Embree, and Al Smith or rookie Earl Henry.

Pittsburgh Pirates—Possible switch of Frank Gustine to second base may create a shortstop problem, but young Vic Barnhart continues to impress onlookers as the leading rookie for the spot.

Javery's Arm Ails
Philadelphia Phillies—Southpaw Ken Raffensberger picked to start against Bainbridge Monday. Lineup to include rookie brothers Garvin Hamner at second and Granville Hamner at short.